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1. NO ASPECT OF JAPANESE-COSTA RICAN POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONSHIP IS OF SUFFICIENT CONSEQUENCE TO WARRANT SPECIAL DISCUSSION DURING TWO-DAY CONSULTATIONS.

HOWEVER, TO EXTENT THAT COSTA RICA'S PERSISTENT NEGATIVE TRADE BALANCE WITH JAPAN IS REPRESENTATIVE OF A BROADER JAPANESE-LATIN AMERICAN TRADE RELATIONSHIP, IT MAY BE OF INTEREST TO LEARN WHETHER JAPAN PLANS TO TAKE ANY MEASURES TO INCREASE IMSTQS #FROM LATIN AMERICA OR FROM SPECIFIC LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES.

2. WITH RESPECT TO POSSIBLE COORDINATION OF BILATERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS, GOJ AID PROGRAM IN COSTA RICA CONSISTS MAINLY OF DONATIONS OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND SCIENTIFIC EQUIPMENT WITH SOME INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING AND HENCE DOES NOT LEND ITSELF TO MUCH COORDINATION.

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